

**Flesherton.**

*from our own correspondent.*

**NARROW ESCAPE.**—On Wednesday evening last some of the young females of our village were out promenading, and passing for a while at the oft frequented spot, the Boyne Water bridge, some of them stood leaning over the railing leading to the bridge, when it gave way, and Miss Mamie, daughter of Rev. W. Ayers, was precipitated backward and fell to the river below, a distance of about ten feet, but fortunately escaped with a bad fright and some slight bruises. A party of the city fathers to look after broken sidewalks and all dangerous places on public streets.

Mr. Hayes has leased Mr. W. H. Fleisher's factory and has opened out the pump manufactory here now. As we had no one in that line in our village there was a good opening for a man in that business. We welcome Mr. Hayes and wish him success in his enterprise here.

Our pushing and enterprising W. Varty, brick maker, is now running a big gang of men in his brick yard, so that he may have ample brick made to supply all the wants of his numerous customers in his line this summer.

The Flesherton cheese factory has commenced operations for another season under the charge of Messrs. Stewart, Esq., who has proved himself, in the past seasons, to be a first-class cheese maker.

Mr. W. H. Colquett, implement merchant in this place, was taken suddenly ill on Thursday last with inflammation of the lungs, and altho' under the treatment of Drs. Kerr and Christie, at the time of writing this (Tuesday) morning, all hopes of his recovery have been abandoned.

Mr. Aikinhead and son of Toronto have been spending a few days in this locality fishing. They are the guests of J. W. Armstrong, Esq.

Mr. Madill, of Corbetton, preached at the Presbyterian church here on Sabbath last.

**BE ON YOUR GUARD.**

Don't allow a cold in the head to grow and surely develop itself into Catarrh when you can be cured for 50 cents. A few applications will cure nascent Catarrh. One to two boxes will cure ordinary Catarrh. One to three boxes will cure chronic Catarrh. Dr. Chase's Catarrh cure, Sold by all Dealers at 25 cents per box. 312

**The Torrens System.**

(Canada Citizen.)

The annual meeting of Land Law Reform Association took place in Toronto a few days ago, and the time is therefore opportune for calling attention to what the society has accomplished. Its chief object is to get the Torrens system of transfer generally introduced in Canada so that in the case of all lands brought under its operation the registrar's certificate may be a certificate of absolute title. The assumption underlying the agitation is that it should be as easy to pass land from one person to another as it is to pass a horse or railway share and this assumption is not seriously disputed. There are, of course, obstacles to the general adoption of the system, but these will disappear through time and as the result of continued agitation. The majority of lawyers are opposed to it, for the present system of "searching" titles is a source of revenue to them. The present registrars are opposed to it, for their remuneration depends on the amount of "searching" of titles, and the "searching" would rapidly disappear under the Torrens system. Then the process of quieting titles of land before it is brought under the system has been an expensive one. And lastly, no one thinks of making the change unless he is selling or buying.

It would be a great boon to the owners of lands if all lots hereafter patented in any of the Provinces were placed once under the Torrens system. This would prevent the present confused system from spreading, and afford a large number of examples to illustrate the simplicity and economy of the method. Steps have been taken to secure so desirable an arrangement in the Northwest Territory and Manitoba, and similar steps will probably be taken at no distant day in Ontario. Meanwhile, in this province the Torrens system is confined to the County of York and the city of Toronto, and it is to be hoped that the number of lands coming under the security afforded will rapidly increase.

We are pleased to learn that A. Turner & Co. our enterprising druggists have received the agency for the truly celebrated West's Pain King, a certain cure for all bowel difficulties, colic, cholera morbus and cholera. Only 25¢. May 20.

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**BREAD, CAKES AND BUNS,**  
AT REASONABLE RATES.

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of all kinds on hand.

**SOIREES & SURPRISE PARTIES**  
Supplied on the Shortest Notice.

**Wedding Cakes a Specialty.**  
A call is respectfully solicited.

Bread delivered in all parts of the town

**PREMISES:**  
Next Door to the Roller Bunk.  
'86 EDWARD ROOKE.

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MRS. CRAWFORD has opened a Custom Knitting Factory in Markdale, and is now prepared to do all sizes and shapes of stockings and socks, in wool or cotton on short notice, and at reasonable charges. A trial respectfully solicited. Factory opposite the STANDARD office. 295-8

**STEEL ROAD SCRAPER.**



I beg to call the attention of Municipal Councils and others to my new Solid Steel Road Scraper—One Solid Plate of Steel Pressed into Shape. The weak point with steel bottom scrapers has been overcome in this case by putting on Steel Shoes which protect the bottom, so that there is no more wear on it than on any other part. The Scraper combines Lightness with Strength, and Handiness with Durability, and will scrape any ordinary ground without ploughing. They gave good satisfaction to all who used them last Season.

A Sample sent Free of Freight wherever desired. Send for Prices to  
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Chatsworth Foundry,  
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**TO RENT.**

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**A. TURNER & Co.,**  
194-8 Markdale.

**MARKDALE LIVERY.**



**GOOD RIGS.**

**Moderate Charges.**

**SPECIAL ATTENTION TO COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS.**  
**Mathews' Od Stand, opposite Markdale House**  
**WM. TAYLOR, PROPRIETOR.**

**WOOL! WOOL! WOOL!**

Those having Wool to sell or manufacture, will find it to their advantage to call at the

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The machinery being now in splendid working order, and having engaged a staff of competent hands, we are now busy manufacturing goods usually kept in stock. Any custom work entrusted to us will receive prompt and careful attention, and done at reasonable prices. **DON'T FAIL TO GIVE US A CALL.**  
**W. H. FLESHER.**  
May 2nd, 1886.

**PUBLIC NOTICE.**

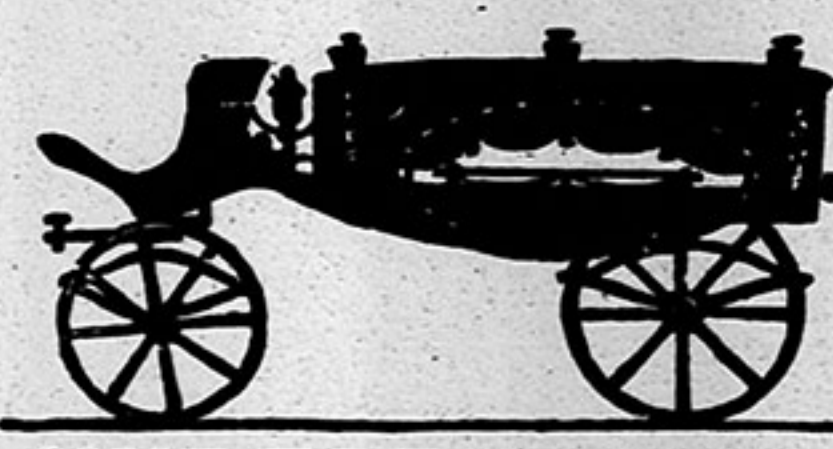
Whereas it is expedient to have a Special Meeting in this vicinity, for the better organization of the Liberal Conservative Party. All persons interested are cordially requested to attend at Bevers Hotel, Markdale, on Thursday evening, May 27th, at 7:30 o'clock. Don't stay away, every Conservative is invited without distinction.

**JAMES ALLAN,**  
Secretary.  
South Grey Association.

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**COURT OF REVISION.**

**TOWNSHIP OF GLENELG.**

The Court of Revision for the Township of Glenelg, will hold its first sitting for the current year at the Town Hall on  
**SATURDAY, 29TH MAY, 1886.**  
at 10 o'clock a. m. The Council will meet for general business at 2 o'clock p. m. the same day.

**J. S. BLACK,**  
Township Clerk.  
Glenelg, 13th May, 1886. 296-98

**NEW BAKERY.**

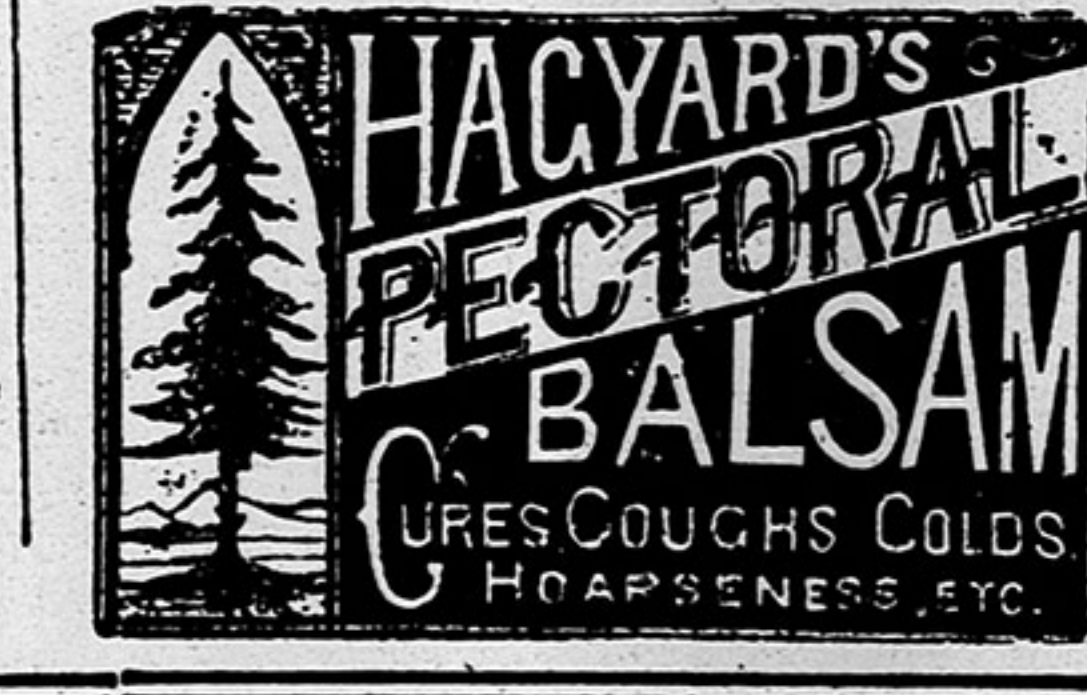
I would respectfully intimate to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country that I have opened in

**MONTGOMFRY'S STAND,**  
where I will keep on hand a good supply of  
**BREAD, BUNS, SCONS, CAKES & PASTRY**

Of my own manufacture, also  
**BISCUITS & CONFECTIONARY, ORANGES, LEMONS, & BEST BRANDS OF FLOUR.**

Flour, Butter and Eggs taken in exchange.

I cordially solicit a share of public patronage, and trust by honest dealing and close attention to business to merit your confidence and support. My motto is *No Credit.*  
Yours respectfully,  
**W. M. SPEER.**



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*The Original Thorley Food.*

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**Condition Powder,**  
**Condition Powder,**  
The Derby Condition Powder, the best stock blood purifier in the market at

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**OIL CAKE,**  
**OIL CAKE,**  
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*A full line of Patent Medicines*  
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Yours respectfully,  
**R. L. STEPHEN.**

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**C. W. BELLAMY, Agent,**  
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**NEW HARNESS SHOP.**

**R. CARNAHAN** would respectfully intimate to the inhabitants of the surrounding county that he has opened a general harness shop on King street in the village of

**HOLLAND CENTRE,**

where he intends to manufacture and keep on hand a large stock of **LIGHT and HEAVY HARNESS,** long and short trags, **STRAW COLLARS, WHIPS, COMBS, BRUSHES, HARNESSES OIL, &c.**  
I will use only first class material and those requiring anything in the harness line will find it to their interest to call at the new harness shop and get prices before going elsewhere. Repairing done with neatness and dispatch. Soliciting a share of public patronage. I am respectfully yours,  
**R. CARNAHAN.**  
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**WEAVING.**

Having returned to Markdale, in order to be more convenient for my customers, I beg to announce that I am now prepared to do all kinds of Custom Weaving. Residence old stand, opposite Presbyterian Church.  
**ARCH. BOYD.**  
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Money loaned on Farm or Town Property at lowest rates of interest. Apply to  
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By buying your  
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Every job warranted to give satisfaction.

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**CARSON'S Implement Emporium.**

I beg to announce to the public that I am this season better than ever prepared to supply your wants in Agricultural Implements and Machinery.

I will keep on hand  
**Self-Binders, Reapers, Mowers, Sulky Rakes, Steam and Horse Power Threshing Machines,**

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